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RESPONSE

In response to the action mailed April 26, 2001, please amend the application as follows: 10-26-01

In the claims:

Please amend claims 43 and 51-56.

29. (Reiterated) An isolated polypeptide selected from the group consisting of:
- a) a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3;
 - b) a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:7;
 - c) a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:9;
 - d) a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA of the clone contained in ATCC Accession No. 97880;
 - e) a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA of the clone contained in ATCC Accession No. 97881;
 - f) a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA of the clone contained in NRRL Deposit No. B-21416;

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